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# THE NEWS.

CHESTER TOWN, Md.

Saturday Morning, November 25, 1854.

☞Pork is selling in this place at $5 and $6 per hundred lbs.

LAND SALE.—George Vickers, Esq., Trustee, sold on Wednesday last, the Farm in Worton, unimproved, belonging to Moses Kennard, containing 106 acres, for $2.116, or about $20 per acre. Benj. Startt, purchaser.

VENDUES.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, that the sale of the personal property of Joseph Malsberger, dec'd, will take place on Tuesday next, the 28th inst., near Georgetown X Roads. Also the vendue of Jocob G. Maslin, Esq,, on Thursday next, the 30th inst.

ROBBERY OF THE BALTIMORE POST OFFICE.—Wm. H. Martin, one of the oldest Clerks in the Baltimore Post Office, has been detected in extracting money from letters. The Sun of Thursday says: "About twenty years ago, when the late John S. Skinner was postmaster, young Martin was received into the office in the humblest capacity, through the kind offices of Chas. T. Maddox. Esq., late postmaster, and sinoe that time had always proved one of the most industrious clerks in the office. The officers have thus ascertained that the accused has deposited $1,700 in the Savings Bank of Baltimore in his own name, and $1,300 on the account of his mother, from which it is fair to presume that the depredations must have been going on for seme time, and for a considerahle amount.

WHAT'S IN THE WIND?—We have already stated, says the Baltimore Sun, that orders had been issued to fit out immediately the U. S. sloop of war Jamestown, at Philadelphia, and the ships Cyane and Saratoga, at the Charlestown, (Mass.) Navy Yard. We learn that order have been received at Portsmouth, Va., to fit for sea, as soon as possible, three United States frigates, and to hasten the completion of the two new in sourse of construction there. Similar orders, if we mistake not, had previously been received at the Portsmouth (N. H.) Navy Yard; about one hundred and fifty mechanics are at work upon the U. S. frigate Congress, fitting her for sea with all possible despatch. The Sabine is also being fitted for sea at the same yard.

ANNEXATION OF THE SANDWICK ISLAND,—By a recent private letter from Honolulu, we learn that a messenger will leave that city very soon for Washington with a treaty of annexation, which has been drawn up in proper form, but not yet signed, as Judge Lee, who was directed by our government to witness the signatures of the instrument in question, has been obliged to absent himself from Honolulu on account of ill health, and consequently has not been able as the duty assigned him. to attend to

The treaty is to be signed by all the Chiefs, and they are each to receive a pension, which ceases with the death of the recipient, with the exception of the pension to be paid to the King, which is to be transferred to Alexander, in case he shall survive His Majesty. It is understood that the whole amount to be paid in pensions will be somewhere from three to four hundred thousand dollars per annum.

The property belonging to the present government of the Island is to be purchased outright by our government at a fixed sum.

The above items of intelligence may be relied upon as correct, as they come from the highest authority.

FIRE AT DENTON MD.—The dwelling of Mr. William Willis, at Denton, Md., was destroyed by fire on the 17th inst., together with most of its contents. The Journal says that Mr. Willis was lying ill at the time, and had to be removed to the house of a neighbor The dwellings of Mis. Tharp, Mr. Gough and Mr. Murphy had a narrow escape.

NEW YORK STATE ELECTION.—Full official returns from all the counties in State show the vote for Governor to be 167,124 for Clark; 156,661 for Seymour; 122,618 for Ullmen; 33,791 for Bronson, making the total vote in the State 469,194.

## ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER CANADIAN.

3 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

### PROGRESS OF ATTACK ON SEBASTOPOL.

### Great Slaughter and Ruin!

Expected Destruction of the Place.

*Reinforcements for the Allies—Hostility of Russia to Austria and Prussia—Russian Victory in Asia, &c.*

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 22.—The screw steamship Canadian arrived here last night, at 12 o'clock, with Liverpool dates of the 7th inst., being three days later. She brings 44 cabin and 108 steerage passengers.

FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

Intelligence from various sources, giving accounts of the siege of Sebastopol up to the 29th ultimo, (two days later than per steamer Asia,) had been received, but nothing decisive had occurred.

The official account of the first day of the bombardment was only published on the 6th, being far behind the dates of private accounts.

Admiral Hamelin says that if the Russians had not closed the entrance of the harbor of Sebastopol by sinking ships, the allied squadron after the first fire could have successfully run in and placed themselves in communication with the land forces without, probably, a quarter of the loss they have now sustained.

The English loss on shipboard was two lieutenants (Chase and Madden) killed and 16 officers wounded; in all, 44 men killed and 266 wounded, and the ships considerably damaged by shot and shells.

The French loss was 30 killed and 186 wounded.

On the evening of the 26th the Russians, 8,000 strong, made a sortie from Sebastopol and also from the direction of Balaklava, but were repulsed, with great loss of life, 1,000 men being left dead on the field.

According to the latest telegraphic advices, the attack upon the Russian fortifications from the sea, had not been renewed.

The bombardment from the heights was vigorously continued by the allies, and the forts at the Quarantine and fort Constantine had been razed. The southern tower and other works had been demolished.

The town of Sebastopol was represented to be a mass of ruins and on fire in three different places.

It was evident that the place would not be able to hold out much longer.

According to one account an assault was to be made by the allies on the 2d or 3d of November.

A telegraphic despatch had been published by a Greek house to the effect that Sebastopol had actually been taken. Although believed by many, the report wants confirmation.

Telegraphic despatches published in London on the morning of the 7th. state that the town of Sebastopol is a mass of ruins, and that the French Chasseurs killed all the artillery men who showed themselves at the embrasures. And a shower of balls was poured into the forts during the night, leaving the enemy no possible chance for repairing their disasters.

The Russians had all been withdrawn from the forts in the vicinity of Balaklava.

A camp of 10,000 men is to be formed at Aldeshet for the spring campaigne in the Baltic region.

The Russian fleet had sought shelter under the buildings along side of the quays, but the allies were about to fire upon them from new batteries with red hot balls.

Lord Dunkelin, as previously stated, was taken prisoner by the Russians during the recent engagement.

It was stated that the French lost 200 men by explosions, while the English loss was under 100 killed and wounded.

News from Sebastopol to the 29th of October had been received there, stating that the allies had completed their second parallel of works and abandoned their batteries.

General Dannenberg's reinforcements were expected to join Prince Menschikoff on the 3rd.

BRITISH AND FRENCH REINFORCEMENTS, MORE ARMAMENTS.

As the British and French forces have been much cut up by disease and losses reinforcements were urgently called for from England and France, and they are forthcoming.

During the past two or three weeks 3,000 men had been sent from England, including amongst them detachments of regiments recently arrived from Canada.

The reinforcements made so far to the British infantry in the Crimea number 30,000 men.

The French reinforcements are on a large scale.

Thirteen out of the twenty-four iron cylanders ordered at Woolwich for conveyance to Sebastopol to blow up the sunken ships at the mouth of the harbor, have been completed and shipped for their destination. Each cylander contains about 10,000 pounds of powder, which will be ignited by au electric battery.

The war office had ordered 120 gun boats with two heavy guns in each, together with forty floating batteries with 10 guns each, all ready for the spring attack upon Constadt.

RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA.

Russia has 200.000 men facing the Austrian frontier, while Austria has embattled along her frontier from Carcow to the Danube 200,000 men, and 25,000 more in the Principalities. Both sides show great activity.

PRUSSIA.

The latest news with regard to Prussia is that on the 27th ult. the Czar refused an entrance to the Prussian ambassador at St. Petersqurg.

RUSSIAN VICTORY.

The only news from the army in Asia is that General Nicholis is reported to have gained a victory over Schamyl, near Frosnaria, on the frontier of Circassia.

FRANCE.

The withdrawal of the order prohibiting Mr. Soule from passing through France, is confirmed.

GROWTH OF THE TOWN OF ST. PAUL, IN MINNESOTA.—The Democrat, published at St. Paul, Minnesota territory, occupies nearly two pages in its space in giving a history of the rise and progress of St. Paul. It affords an interesting view of the rapidity with which our country is growing in greatness, and the spirit of enterprise which is being developed in that far off locality, ere long doubtless destined to add another star to the bright galaxy which now forms the constellation of the republic. From the sketch of the Democrat we learn that in 1840 there was but a single house where the city now stands. In 1850, the first newspaper, the Pioneer, was printed, and the mercantile business transacted in the year amounted to $130,000. It has now four daily newspapers, seven churches, eight hotels, and the merchantile business transacted there now amounts to 5,799,500. It is estimated that during the present season the arriving steamboats have landed there upwards of forty-five thousand passengers.

THE SPANISH REVOLUTIONISTS are said to be hostile to the pretensions of the Roman Church in Spain, which seems likely enough, as European liberal revolutions have been uniformly so in Rome, France, England, ect. According to the Paris *Journal des Debats*, they prophecy that they will despoil the clerical order of its possessions, that they will oppose the Concordat of 1837, and the whole policy of the Court of Rome. Some of the provisionol juntas have laid hands already on the goods of the clergy declaring them national property.

**Selden, Withers & Co.—Soule and the Emperor Napoleon.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.

The 'run' upon Messrs. Selden, Withers & Co. has ceased, and the house is now going on as usual.

Letters received here state that the cause of Napoleon's backing down in the Soule affair, was that public opinion was almost entirely on the side of Mr. Soule, and the Emperor found himself in a tight place.

BABY SHOW.—The people of Ohio have become quite excited upon the subject of baby shows. The matter has been carried to such an extent as to call forth the following remarks from the Cleveland Herald·

"The things is getting to he disgasting, when the contents of the cradle and hog pen are judged by the same standard, when the babies are estimated by the pound, like fat calves in the shambles."

### Chestertown Market.

CHESTERTOWN, Nov. 24, 1854.

Pork—$5.00 to $6.00 per hundred lbs.
Turkeys—10 cts. per lb.
Geese—8 do do
Ducks—37½ cts. per pair.
Wild do.—25 to 75 do.
Chickens—37½ to 50 cts. do.
Beef—5½ to 6 cts. lb. by the quarter.

### Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 22, 1854.

MR. MANSFIELD:—Markets not very active—with light supply and but limited demand.

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| White wheat, | $1 92 a 1 95 |
| Red do. | 1 85 |
| Yellow Corn—old | 86 |
| White corn, " | 83 a 84 |
| New Corn—white and yellow | 76 a 80 |
| Oats | 52 |

LEFEVRE, BLACK & Co.

### Baltimore Market.

FROM THE BALTIMORE SUN OF THURSDAY.

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|---|---|
| Wheat, white, | $1 85 a 1 87 |
| " red | 1 75 a 1 80 |
| Corn white—old | 75 a 80 |
| " yellow—" | 78 a 80 |
| Corn white—new | 76 a 78 |
| " yellow " | 78 |
| Oats, | 46 a 48 |
| Clover Seed | $6 12 a 6 50 |

## MARRIED.

In Stephenson Co. Ill., on the 7th Sept. MR. JOHN BALLENGER, son of Rev. Asa Ballenger of Wisconsin, to Miss ELIZA W. STROUD, youngest daughter of the late John R. Stroud, of Kent Co., Md.

## DEDICATION.

THE NEW METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH in the village of Warwick, Cecil county, Md·, will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God on Sunday the *tenth* day of December next—services to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., by the Rev. E. Yeates Reese, Rev. D. A. Shermer, Rev. Dr. Swentzell, and the Hon. Judge Hopper, with other distinguished ministers. All persons are respectfully invited to attend.

J. H. ELLIGOOD.

Nov 25, 1854.

NOTICE.—Monday is the day in each week for crushing and grinding chopt fodder. W. BACCHUS.

Nov. 25, 1854.

GREAT CURE of LIVER COMPLAINT

BY THE ORIGINAL, ONLY TRUE AND GENUINE LIVER PILLS.

Short Creek, Ohio Co., Va.
March 26, 1849.

Mr. R. E. SELLERS: Dear Sir—I think it a duty I owe to you and the public generally, to state that I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint for a long time, and so badly that an abscess formed and broke, which left me in a very low state. Having heard of your celebrated Liver Pills being for sale by A. R. Sharp, West Liberty, and recommended to me by my physician, Dr. E. Smith, I concluded to give them a fair trial. I purchased one box and found them to be just what they are recommended—the best Liver Pills ever used; and after taking four boxes, I find the disease has entirely left me, and I am now perfectly well.

West Liberty, March 26, 1849.

I certify that I am personally acquainted with Mr Coleman, and can bear testimony to the truth of the above certificate. A. R. SHARP.

TO THE PUBLIC.—The original, only true and genuine Liver Pills are prepared by R. E. Sellers, and have his name in black wax upon the lip of each box, and his signature on the outside wrapper—*all others are counterfeits or base imitations.*

Prepared and sold by R. E. SELLERS & Co., Pittsburg, Pa.,
And for sale by
Simon Wickes, Chester Town.
Abel J. Rees, Rees' Corner.
M. V. Boyer, Millington,
And by Druggists generally on the Eastern Shore and in Baltimore city.
Oct. 28, 1854.—1m 5

## A Card.

PERSONS who may have business with the undersigned, are requested not to call at his office on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, as he will be engaged near George Town on those days. G. VICKERS.

C. Town, Nov. 25, 1854.

## Wanted

FOR the ensuing year, a good cook, and two girls, from 14 to 16 years of age—for the woman and one of the girls, who are wanted by a lady of this county, now living in Baltimore, the highest wages will be given. Enquire of the Editor.

Nov. 25, 1854.

## Pay your Taxes!!

FOR the convenience of Tax Payers in the Upper District, the undersigned will be at Georgetown X Roads on Wednesday; Millington on Thursday, and Chestertown on Tuesday and Saturday of each week until further notice, commencing from this date.

THOMAS LUSBY,
Dep. Col. for 2d & 3d Districts.
Nov. 25, 1854.

## Look at This!

A. M. RUSSELL has just returned from the city with a fresh lot of **Groceries, Confectionary,** CLOTHING, SEGARS, TOBACCO, WHIPS, UMBRELLAS, TOYS,

and many other articles which he will sell at unusual low prices.

Nov 25, 1854·

## Sheep for Sale.

THE undersigned has for sale TEN Half-Blood Cotswold Ewes.

WM. L. & THOS. BOWERS.

Still Pond, Nov. 25, 1854.*

## Notice.

ALL persons indebted to me for professional services, as administrator of A. Herbert and wife, or on private account, are requested, *to make immediate payment.*

☞WANTED for the ensuing year, a single man as Manager of my farm, to whom liberal wages will be given; also two men servants, or a man and a well grown boy. I will pay whatever is given in this neighborhood.

L. M. RICAUD.

Nov. 25, 1854.—3w·

## Road Notice.

THE undersigned herely give notice that they and others who may desire to unite with them, ntend to petition to the County Comnissioners at their first meeting held thrty days after the date of this notice, o open and make the following road aid landing:

Beginning at the mos convenient point upon the county bad leading from Rock Hall to Chestetown, to run through Skinner's Neck, to the most eligible point on Gray's Inn or Spencer's Creek and there to make a terminus.

Nothing but the great necessity of a public road and landing would induce the petioners to apply for sail road and landing.

JACOB FISHER, E. E. JACON,
LAMBERT WICKES, GEORGE COPPER.
JOSEPH HARRIS, GEO. L. MASLIN,
CHARLES CASEY, S. A. J. WICKES,
WILLIAM KELLEY. JAMES KELLEY.

Nov 25, 1854.

SASH! SASH!—1,000 Lights of Window Sash, assorted sizes from 7x9 up to very large size, either glazed or unglazed just received and for sale by ABEL J. REES & Co.

Rees' Corner, Nov. 18.

## "Good Morning,

NEIGHBOR A., what's the news?"

"Well, the most I hear is that A. M. RUSSELL has had his store put in complete order, and is selling goods at very low prices. Betsey brought home beautiful brown sugar, which he sold at 6¼ cents; and good coffee at 12½ cents; and she says he has a large stock of fresh Groceries, which he sells at very low prices;—and you ought to see a suit of clothes she bought for John—they were the cheapest I ever saw bought in town."

"Well, neighbor A., does he keep a good assortment?"

"O. yes. He has Groceries, Clothing, Confectionery, Tobacco, Segars, Brooms, Buckets, Baskets and Tubs, Mackerel, Herring, Powder and Shot, Whips, Canes, and Umberrellas, Saddles and Harness, Toys, and a great many articles that I can't now name. But the next time you go to town give him a call, and I think you will agree with me that his goods are very cheap."

"Well, good by, neighbor A., I shall give him a call the next time I go to town."

"Well, don't forget the name."

"What is it, neighbor A?"

"Why it is A. M. RUSSELL."

Nov. 25. 1854.

## Kent County to Wit:

I hereby certify that Henry Cohee, farmer of Kent county, brought before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the peace in and for said county, this 21st day of November, 1854, a stray trespassing upon his enclosures, a red HEIFER, with small horns, supposed to be two years old next spring, without any marks whatever, either natural or artificial. Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of November, 1854. JAMES GRAVES, (Seal.)

NOTICE.—The owner of the above described heifer is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

HENRY COHEE,

Living on the road leading from Worton Heights to the saw mill of Silas W. Hibbs.

Nov. 25, 1854.

## Strayed

FROM the subscriber on or about the middle of October, a red and white horned HEIFER, three years old next spring—not marked. The advertiser will pay a suitable reward for any information of her whereabouts.

JAS. GALE, (of Thos.)

Still Pond, Nov. 25, 1854.

## PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be offered at Public Sale on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, if fair, if not the first fair day thereafter, at "Howell's Point," on the farm where S. Peterson now resides, the Personal Property of W. R. Polk. consisting in part of

**Six Horses, Three Milch Cows, one Mare and an extra fine Colt,**

Three Yoke of Fine Large **OXEN,**

A number of **Hogs & Pigs, Two WAGONS, THREE OX CARTS,** 1 *HORSE POWER,* 1 *THRESHER, with Fan attached,* ***One Portable Cider Mill, Corn Sheller,*** **STRAW CUTTER, WHEAT DRILL, Reaping Machine,** *PLOWS, HARROWS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, BEDS AND BEDDING, CHAIRS, AND MANY OTHER THINGS NOT ENUMERATED.*

☞TERMS:—All sums under $10 Cash, all sums more than $10 a credit, if desired, of six months will be given, with interest from date, for which a note with approved security will be received.

W. R. POLK.

Nov. 23, 1854.—ts

## To the Voters of Kent!

TIME and again have appeals been made to you for your support. I have just returned from the city with a large, good, and very cheap assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, and many other articles, all cheap. Deposit your ballots in my box—vote the V's and X's; then the country will be safe.

JOHN RUSSELL.

Nov. 18, 1854.—tf.

## NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the Office of 'The Kent News' will greatly oblige us if they will call and settle their accounts by the 10th December.

E. MANSFIELD.

Nov. 18, 1854.

## REAL ESTATE

### For Sale.

THIS FARM will be offered at public sale at the tavern of Mr. John McDaniel in Chester Town; on

**TUESDAY**

the 28th INSTANT, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

This farm is situated on the road leading from Chester Town to Belle Air, and within five miles of the former place. It is convenient to churches and schools and within 2½ miles of Fairlee creek. This farm is well watered and is in a fine state of cultivation, there having been 16,000 bushels of lime put upon it within the last five years. It contains

**207 Acres of Land,**

there being about 150 Acres cleared and the remainder in Wood & Chesnut. The buildings consist of a fine large BRICK DWELLING, with three rooms and passage up stairs and down, and also a dining room and kitchen, all neatly finished and in good order. Also a Granary, Corn Crib, Carriage house, Stable, Smoke house, &c., with a pump of elegant water at the door. There is also a fine APPLE ORCHARD, of choice fruit, of 150 trees, and there is also 50 peach trees, all in full bearing.

This farm will be sold on reasonable terms. $5,500 can remain upon the property from one to five years at the option of the purchaser—the remainder to be paid in cash in the day of sale, or in one or two months, as can be agreed upon on the day of sale.

WILLIAM BOWMAN,
Agent for John H. Bowman.
Nov. 18, 1854—2w.

ESTATE JOSEPH MALSBERGER.

Maryland, Kent county, Orphans' Court, November 14, 1854.

On the application of Richard C. Johnson and George Vickers, Executors of Joseph Malsberger, late of Kent county, deceased,

Ordered that they give notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that the same to be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks in some newspaper, printed and published in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceedings of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid,

I have hereunto set my hand (Seal.) and the seal of my office affixed, this 14th day of November 1854.

Test, JACOB FISHER,
Register of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice that the subscribers of Kent county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of Joseph Malsberger, late of Kent county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers on or before the 21st day of June, 1855, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under our hands this 14th day of November, 1854.

RICHARD C. JOHNSON,
GEORGE VICKERS,
Executors of Joseph Malsberger.
Nov. 18, 1854.—4w.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM THOMAS (OF WM.)

Maryland, Kent county, Orphans' Court, November 14, 1854.

On the application of Alfred T. Thomas, Executor of William Thomas, (of Wm.) late of Kent county, deceased,

Ordered that he give notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased's estate, and that the same to be published once in each week for the space of four successive weeks in some newspaper printed in Kent county.

In testimony that the foregoing is truly copied from the minutes of the proceeding of the Orphans' Court of the county aforesaid,

I have hereto set my hand and (SEAL) the seal of my office affixed, this 14th day of November, 1854.

Test, JACOB FISHER,
Register of Wills for Kent county.

In compliance with the above order this is to give notice that the subscriber of Kent county, hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of Wm. Thomas (of Wm) late of Kent county deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber on or before the 21st day of June, 1854, they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of November, 1854.

ALFRED T. THOMAS.
Executor Wm. Thomas (of Wm.)
Nov. 18, 1854.—4w.

## To Rent.

FOR the ensuing year, a small FARM situated in Worton, about six miles from Chestertown. For particulars apply to

WILLIAM VANNORT.

Near Worton Heights, Kent Co., Md., Nov. 18, '54. } 3t.